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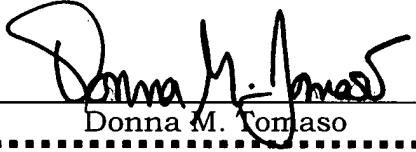
FOR: LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY DEVICE AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING
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REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF PROPOSED DRAWING AMENDMENT

Sir/Madam:

The Applicant requests approval of proposed drawing amendments as shown in RED on the enclosed drawings. Specifically, FIG. 6 and 7 are designated by the legend -Prior Art— as requested by the Examiner.

The proposed drawing amendment contains no new matter, and

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